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RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
AIR FORCE BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF MILITARY RECORDS

IN THE MATTER OF:

[REDACTED]

DOCKET NUMBER: 96-01769

COUNSEL: NONE

HEARING DESIRED: NO

Applicant requests that he be medically retired due to diabetes. Applicant's submission is at Exhibit A.

The appropriate Air Force offices evaluated applicant's request and provided advisory opinions to the Board recommending the application be denied (Exhibit C). The advisory opinions were forwarded to the applicant for review and response (Exhibit D). As of this date, no response has been received by this office.

After careful consideration of applicant's request and the available evidence of record, we find insufficient evidence of error or injustice to warrant corrective action. The facts and opinions stated in the advisory opinions appear to be based on the evidence of record and have not been rebutted by applicant. Absent persuasive evidence applicant was denied rights to which entitled, appropriate regulations were not followed, or appropriate standards were not applied, we find no basis to disturb the existing record.

Accordingly, applicant's request is denied.

The Board staff is directed to inform applicant of this decision. Applicant should also be informed that this decision is final and will only be reconsidered upon the presentation of new relevant evidence which was not reasonably available at the time the application was filed.

Members of the Board Mr. Vaughn E. Schlunz, Mr. Edward C. Koenig, 11, and Mr. Kenneth L. Reinertson considered this application on 17 December 1998, in accordance with the provisions of Air Force Instruction 36-2603 and the governing statute, 10 U.S.C. 1552.


VAUGHN E. SCHLUNZ
Panel Chair

Exhibits:

- A. Applicant's DD Form 149
- B. Available Master Personnel Records
- C. Advisory Opinions
- D. AFBCMR Ltr Forwarding Advisory Opinions



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
AIR NATIONAL GUARD READINESS CENTER

18 AUG 1998

MEMORANDUM FOR AFBCMR

FROM: ANG/DPPU
3500 Fetchet Avenue
Andrews AFB, MD 20762-5157

SUBJECT: Application for Correction of Military Records- [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

The attached Application for Correction of Military Records submitted by [REDACTED], a former member of the California Air National Guard, is forwarded for your review and comments. The applicant requests medical retirement due to diabetes. He submitted a formal correction to military records request dated 17 Jun 96.

This Headquarters recommends denial. The applicant was considered by a medical evaluation board (MEB) on 3 Oct 93, diagnosed "Insulin Dependent Diabetes Mellitus" and therefore disqualified for worldwide duty. The MEB was forwarded to ANG/SGP and the applicant was determined not qualified for worldwide duty and discharged in accordance with AFI 36-3209. Our recommendation for denial is based upon the diagnoses of (1) the medical condition and that (2) this condition was not caused by, nor aggravated by, military service. Questions concerning this case may be directed to MSgt Gowdy, ANG/DPPUR, DSN 278-7500, or *EMAIL* gowdyt@ang.af.mil.

FOR THE COMMANDER

BENNIE L. UMSTEAD, Maj, USAF
Chief, Special Actions & Personal Affairs

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